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BOERSIANER'S COMMENT ON BUSINESS

By BOERSIANER.

Business between nations that are still technically at war, while not mpossible, is an uncomfortable anomaly. International trade pre-requisites peace. A stable and flourrequires strong governments on either A treaty, whatever its stipulations.

must be had before much of coase- group, tobaccos acted best. quence can be done, trade-wise or therwise, with former belligerents. The character of the foreign govern-ments, although of importance, is a secondary consideration. But first of all there must be technical peace. After that the individual trader must judge how he may do business, and on what terms, with firms in former enemy countries.

The strength and prospective per manency of a government, as sug gested, will go far in determining the ormer trade relations and the amounof the turn-over. If American exporters have faith in the Ebert government that confidence will be so much to the good of the German importer; if they are apprehensive of an eventual reversion to Junkerdom the results of the misgivings must be borne by German tradesmen.

Urge New Allgament. Current commercial associations and financial groups are urging the new alignment in Washington for a treaty to make all possible haste correspondingly, it was stated today the Federal Reserve Board had besought administrative powers to exedite the peace.

Mr. Thomas Edward Gibbons, who is grounded in affairs, writes pertinently on the relations between the present regime and the foreign owners of Mexican oil companies. entering upon the development of oil in Mexico," Mr. Gibbons notes, "the citizens of the United States and other foreigners did nothing more than was done some years ago by the great European corporations financed by the Rothschilds, known as the Shell Oil Company, in securing large areas of oil territory in the State of California; the only difference being that production in this territory had been developed as a profit able business before these foreign interests acquired property, while those Americans who first entered upon oil development in Mexico assumed all the risks of failure which confront every pioneer in a mining venture.

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"However, the Carranza party, 53% C., M. & St. P. pf. 54% 14% 54 . Pot. Elect. Cons. 5'e finding that foreigners, by their in- 251/2 C., R. L.& Pan. Ry. 261/2 26 761/2 Potomac Elec. Pow. 6's. vestment of millions of dellars have vestment of millions of dollars, have developed a natural resource into a valuable economic asset, decides that those foreigners have imposed a grevious wrong upon the country, which it has attempted to cure by adopting Article 27 of the Constitution of 1917.

"Rentals and Royalties." "Under the authority of that article the Carranza government is now attempting to make the petroleum com_ 215 Crucible Steel.. 215% 215 215 panies pay it 'rentals and royalties' 51% Cuba C. Sugar.. 51% 51 51% for the privilege of taking the oil rom lands that have been in the possession of private owners for nearly four hundred years and were acquired for a price supposed to be full values paid by the foreigners as the first step in creating an enterprise which has benefited the people of Mexico in hundred ways.

the people of their States should adopt constitutions providing that the oil was public property and insist upon collecting the royalty which the private owners of the land have heretofore received? "Of course no people that is not congenitally immoral as to be incapable of appreciating the moral character of an act would undertake to perpetrate such a wrong upon the 133% Int. Har. of N. J. 133 133 133 owners of private property as the Carranzistas are endeavoring to inflict upon the owners of oil lands. But it is safe to say that so long as

by native or foreign land owners will be of any avail." SERVICE FLAG FURLED.

a meeting of the Men's League of the The league voted that the fortyone names represented by stars on the 41% Lehigh Valley. 42% 42% 42% D. C. Paper Mfg. Co. pfd 98 flag be inscribed on a memorial tablet. The ceermony followed a banquet in the dining hall. The meeting was 110 addressed by Congressman Upham of Georgia.

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WALL STREET MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 20 .- Most leading issues were fractionally higher at the stock market opening today. the stock market opening today. U. S. Rubber opened at 126%, up %; Sinclair, 44%, unchanged; Goodrich, 80%, up ¼; Baldwin, 110%, up ½; Republic, 113¼, up %; Reading, 77¼, up %; Studebaker, 105, up ½; Crucible, 213½, off 1½; General Motors, 2261/2007. 3364, off 4; Pan-American, 107%, up %; Mexican Petroleum, 223, up 21/4. and Southern Pacific, 105%, up %. The market closed firm. The mar-ket, while firm in late trading, failed shing commerce demands more: It to attract any public buying. People in railroad legislation before taking any position in the market. As

> 30% Adams Express. 31 50% 30% 42% Adv. Rumley 42% 42% 71% Adv. Rum. pt . 71% 71% 71% 2 Alaska Juneau. 2 46% Allis-Chalmers. 46% 46 Alls-Chal pf 91% 91% 91% 95% Am. Beet Sugar. 95% 94 96% Am Ag Chem pf .. 97 97 54% American Can.. 55 54% 543 138 Am. Car & Fdy. 139 139 139 46% Am. Cotton Oil. 48 24% Am. Hide & Lea 25 115% A. H. & L pfd. . 117 116% 117 48 American Ice... 47% 47% 47% 6814 Amer. Linseed.. 681/2 68 95% Am. Lecomotive. 96 93% 103% Am Loco pf 104 104 69 Amer. Smelting. 68% 68% 104% Am Snuff 100 105 44% Am. Steel Pdy .. 45% 45 96% Am. Sumatra Tel. 97% 95% 138% American Sugar. 137% 137% 137% A.ner Sugar pf .. 117% 117% 117% 98% Am. Tel & Tel.. 98% 98% 98% Amer. Tobacco ... 274% 274% 274% 127% American Wool. 127% 127% 127% 55% Am.Wr. Paper pf 55% 54% 54% 58% Anaconda..... 58% 58 60% Asso. Dry Goods 60 60 119 Associate Oil ... 119 119 84 Atchison..... 84% 83% 84 77% Atchison pfd.... 73% 73% 90% Atlantic Coast L 92 90% 173% Atl. Gulf & W. L 174 173% 173% Baldwin Loco. .. 111 109% 110% 110 86% Worth P. Ma 86% 85% 86%

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TODAY'S SALES

Washington Gas, 4648, 10648. Columbia Graphophone com., 26 6 AFTER CALL

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LOCAL STOCK MARKET.

Columbia Graphophone pfd., 10@94. Potomac Electric Cons. 5's, \$1,0006

PUBLIC UTILITY BONDS. Am. Tel & Tel. Convl 6's. Potomac Elec. bt. 5's.. 931/2 Wash. Ry. & Elec. 4's

24, 1919. Wash. Ry. Elec G-M. 6's MISCELLANEOUS BONDS. \$2,559,000 MORE ASKED PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS.

*Capital Traction Washington Gas N. & W. Steamboat 190 Wash. Ry. and El. com. . 20 Wash. Ry. & Elec. pfd.. 55 appropriation of \$2,550,000 for taking NATIONAL BANK STOCKS. 99 Del & Hud. ... 99% 99% 99% American Nat. Bank.... 170 the fourteenth decennial census. Con Columbia Nat. Bank 175 gress has already appropriated \$15,-Commercial Nat. Bank.. 180 000,000 for this purpose. 19% Erie 1st pfd.... 20% 13% 20% Far. & Mech. Nat. Bank. 245 District Nat. Bank 174 Erie 2d pfd 14% 14% 14% Federal Nat. Bank 180

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Seventh St. Sav. Bank .. 145 75% Inter. Paper.... 75 74% 74% FIRE INSURANCE SPOCKS. Corcoran Fire Insur.... 70 Jewel Tea..... 151/2 151/2 Firemen's Fire Ins..... 20 Ger. Amer. Fire Insur.. 225 Nat. Union Fire Insur... 6
TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS. Columbia Title Ins..... 4%

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS. *Grapho, com. 58 •Grapho, pfd. 93% 94 Chapin Sacks..... 135 D. C. Paper Mfg. com... 90 101 Greene Cananea 36 *** Merch. Trans. & Stge.. 105 •Mergenthaler Linotype. 137% 138% Old Dutch Market com .. 4% 12 Old Dutch Mkt pfd 11 Lanston Monotype 80 81 1/4 Security Storage 200

TEN DAYS AGO DIES

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81% National Lead.. 81% 81% 81% ten days ago, when she was struck by 81½ National Lead.. 61½ 61½ 61½ 61½ an automobile at Nineteenth and I 69½ N. Y. Central... 69½ 69 69% streets northwest, Clara Watts, col-N. Y. Air Brake. 1115 1115 1115 ored, 1027 Twenty-first street north-86 Nat. En. & Stmp. 854 854 854 west, died last night at the Emerg-

25% N. Y., N. H. & H.. 27% 27 27% The automobile that struck the woman is said by the police to have 14% Nevada Con. Cop. 15 14% 14% woman is said by the police to have been operated by Charles W. Carlsen, 97% Norfolk & West. 98% 98% 98% 98% peen operated by Charles W. Carlsen, 81 Northern Pacific. 81% 81% pear at the inquest to be held at the 50% North American 52 52 52 District morgue this afternoon.

94 Ok. Pr. & Rf. Co. 94 94 94 Mrs. Lena Monroe, 3038 M street 9% Ok. Pr. & Ri. Co. 32 48% 46 46% northwest, slipped and fell in front of a westbound street car of the Capital Traction Company near Thirty-first 107 Pan-Am. Petrol. 1081/4 1061/2 and M streets northwest. Mrs. Mon-27% Pere Marquette. 28% 27% 28 roe was struck by the car before it 40% Penna R. R 40% 40% could be brought to a stop, and was 33½ Peoples Gas Co. 35 33½ 33½ taken to Georgetown Hospital and ing from a dislocated shoulder and

227A carrying too many loans of a good lative character is the opinion seven bank examiners of the Fifth Federal Reserve District, who are now conducting the second semi-above the semi-above Owing to the unsettled consition of the industrial situation throughout the country it is thought inadvisable at this time for banks, as well as in-dividuals, to have large amounts of industrial securities of a speculative nature on hand. Ordinary commer-cial short-time paper is looked unsecial short-time paper is looked upon with more favor by the Pederal av

LOCAL FINANCIAL

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GOSSIP

That local banks as a whole ar

thorities than securities of a more speculative character. Secretary Glass has repeated warned against the loaning of money for speculative purposes, and Federa-reserve officials have taken steps to bring about a gradual liquidation of such loans, while, at the same time, strongly opposing the continuance of uncurbed speculation.

Preliminary reports of subscriptions for the issue of Treasury certificates of indebtedness of Series T J-1990 which closed yesterday afternoon, in dicate htat an amount in excess \$700,000,000 has been subscribed. these subscriptions, less than eneficates of other series.

These certificates will mature June 15, 1920, and bear interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. No specific amount was offered for subscription. Treesury officials look upon the results of ained as very gratifying. Worth & Co., Inc., investment bank-ers in the National Metropolitan Bank building, will give a "Worth Victory

12% the New Ebbitt Hotel The increasing number of invest-ment concerns in the District during the last two years has been much tive of the growing importance Vashington as a financial and busi

ness center.

Many of the large firms of New York and Philadelphia have established branch offices here, in addition to a number of local institution

the last few years.

Trading on the Washington Stock Exchange continued light today, with only a few stocks being offered at estisfactory quotations. Fourteen shares of Washington Gas sold at 48, while twenty-five shares of Columbia Graphaphone common changed hands at the Columbia Graphaphone preferred continued to sell at 94. Two \$1,000 Potomac Electric Consolidated 5's bonds sold at 90. The directors of the American Br

curity and Trust Company announce that a dividend of 3 per cent has bee declared, payable January 10, 1930, 8 stockholders of record of December 31, 1919.

95 A remain quarter, dividend of 8 9015 per cent was declared by the directors of the Security Savings and Com-19716 mercial Bank, payable December 31, 919, to holders of record of December

> TO COUNT NOSES IN U. S. The high cost of counting noons was impressed on members of Congress yesterday when Director of the Census Rogers asked for an additional

Mr Rogers in his request said that the high cost of living made the ac ditional appropriation necessary.

BOOM CONSUMERS' LEAGUE. Washington women are being urged to enroll in the Consumers' League so that the work of the organization may be carried out on a A number of Washington women have received letters from the league, ex-

plaining its work and the neces

for new members. DIVIDEND NOTICES

DIV.DEND NO. 1

J. V. COHN & BRO. INC RPORATED

Baltimore, Md.

(Chain Stores)

The Board of Directors of Jacob V. Cohn & Brother, Incorporated, has this day (December 10th, 1919) declared a

DIVIDEND OF 10% on both the Preferred the six months ending December \$1, 1919, to stockholders of record on the books of the com-pany December 18th, 1318, payable January 2, 1920. Dividend checks will be malled.

L. R. COHN, Treasurer

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January 14, 1920, for the construction of
sewers in the District of Columbia, involving the construction of 250 linear feet of
4'6"x5'0" masonry sewer and 450 linear
feet of 20 foot wide concrete invert in Old

feet of 30-foot wide concrete invert in Old Tiber sewer. Forms of proposals, specifications and necessary information may be obtained from the Chief Clerk, Engineer Department, Room 427, District Building, Washington, D. C. LOUIS BROWNLOW, CHARLES W. KUTZ, Commissioners, D. C. 16,17,18,19,20,22 12/2 Rep. Iron & Steel 1143, 1134, 114

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As the result of injuries received

26% Pitts. & W. Va.. 27% 26% 27% An automobile operated by Mrs. J. 77% Pierce-Arrow.... 78% 77 77% C. Malcolm, 3343 Stevens street.

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